

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 PRS-01 CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 /019 W  
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P R 070618Z JUN 77  
FM AMEMBASSY MAPUTO  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 5953  
INFO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM  
AMEMBASSY KINSHASA  
AMEMBASSY LUSAKA  
AMEMBASSY NAIROBI  
AMEMBASSY PRETORIA  
AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

UNCLAS MAPUTO 0754

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: OVIP (ROBERT NOVAK)  
SUBJECT: NOVAK VISIT TO AFRICA

REF: (A) STATE 129023, (B) STATE 124529, (C) MAPUTO 742 (NOTAL)

1. IN ORDER FACILITATE EMBASSY INEQUIRY OF NOVAK'S MOZAMBIQUE VISA, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE LEARNING HOW NOVAK APPLIED FOR VISA. DID NOVAK CONTACT GPRM IN MAPUTO DIRECTLY, OR DID HE ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN VISA THROUGH MOZAMBIQUE'S UN REPRESENTATIVE? ALSO, EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING DATES OF PROPOSED NOVAK VISIT TO MOZAMBIQUE.

2. UPON RECEIPT OF ABOVE INFORMATION, EMBASSY WILL MAKE EVERY ATTEMPT TO DETERMINE STATUS OF VISA APPLICATION. HOWEVER, DUE TO LARGE NUMBER OF MOZAMBIQUE OFFICES THAT ARE INVOLVED IN VISA ISSUANCE (I.E. MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, MINISTRY OF INFORMATION, MINISTRY OF INTERIOR, NATIONAL IMMIGRATION SERVICES, AND AIRPORT IMMIGRATION OFFICE), EMBASSY HAS NOT HAD MUCH SUCCESS IN OBTAINING EARLY ANSWERS FROM GPRM.

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3. AS EMBASSY REPORTED REFTEL (C), GPRM NO LONGER ALLOWS PEOPLE WITHOUT WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION OF VISA ISSUANCE TO ENTER MOZAMBIQUE. THEREFORE, REQUEST NOVAK BE ADVISED NOT TO TRAVEL TO MOZAMBIQUE UNLESS HE RECEIVES WRITTEN ASSURANCE FROM GPRM OR EMBASSY MAPUTO THAT VISAS HAS BEEN ISSUED. DE PREE

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